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There have been the following cases since April 30, 1905:

R. R. W., American, auditor; taken sick May 1; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 1, 1905; died May 6, 1905. T. C. A., American, clerk; taken sick May 3; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 3, 1905. J. J. S., American, clerk; taken sick May 3; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 6, 1905; died May 9, 1905. G. N., American, clerk; taken sick May 2; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 3, 1905. M. D., American, clerk; taken sick May 2; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 2, 1905. A. B. B., American, clerk; taken sick May 1; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 2, 1905. G. P., Italian, laborer; taken sick May 3; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 4, 1905. T. J. B., American, judge; taken sick May 3; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 3, 1905. H. C., American, clerk; taken sick May 1; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 2, 1905. J. B. W., American, clerk; taken sick May 5; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 5, 1905. G. H. R., American, engineer; taken sick May 5; reported and admitted to Ancon Hospital May 6, 1905.

Inspection of vessels.

During the week ended May 6, 1905, the following vessels cleared for ports in the United States and were granted bills of health:

Norwegian steamship *Alf* for a port in the United States, via Santiago, Cuba, May 1, with 25 crew and no passengers.

British schooner *Cartagena* for New York, via San Blas coast, May 1, with 8 crew and no passengers.

German steamship *Alene* for New York, via Santa Marta, May 1, with 38 crew and 3 passengers.

American schooner *Anna M. Stammer* for Pascagoula, May 2, with 8 crew and no passengers.

British steamship *Beverly* for New Orleans, via Bocas del Toro, May 3, with 43 crew and 14 passengers.

American steamship *Seguranca* for New York, May 4, with 72 crew and 142 passengers.

The Norwegian steamship *Alf*, bound for Santiago, Cuba, was fumigated in all her living quarters by the Isthmian Quarantine Service prior to sailing. The steamship *Beverly* was not fumigated by the Isthmian Quarantine Service, the medical inspector of the Louisiana State board of health having received orders from the president of said board to do so. No evidence of such fumigation having been furnished me, I made note on the bill of health to the effect that the ship had not been fumigated.

Report from Bocas del Toro, fruit port.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Osterhout reports as follows: Week ended May 6, 1905. Present officially estimated population not obtainable; 4 deaths; prevailing disease, malarial fever; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage.
Apr. 29	J. B. Camors	Colon		8	0	(a)
29	Ellis	New Orleans, La. .	33	4	2	7
29	Esparta	Boston, Mass.	42	1	5	0
May 3	Bound Brook	New Orleans, La. .	33	4	0	11
4	Fort Morgan	Mobile, Ala.	24	1	0	11
4	Caledonia	Colon		22	0	(a)
5	Beverly	New Orleans, La. .	43	0	1	(a)

^aNot inspected.

Passenger per steamship *Esparta* did not apply for certificate; was bound to Limon, Costa Rica.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Reports received of lepers living in the various provinces of the Philippine Islands.

[From the report of board of health for month of December, 1904.] ^a

Province.	Race.	Num-ber of males.	Num-ber of females.	Chil-dren.		Single.		Married.		Wid-owers.	Wid-ows.	Total.
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.			
Abra	Filipino ..	8	5	1	....	5	3	2	2	....	....	13
Albay	do	27	22	5	4	14	11	6	4	2	3	49
Ambos Camarines	do	71	22	6	1	36	10	23	9	6	2	93
Antique	do	60	48	13	14	20	15	21	15	6	4	108
Bataan	do	15	6	1	1	10	1	3	2	1	2	21
Batanga	do	18	11	....	....	14	4	3	3	1	4	29
Benquet ^b	do	32	11	1	1	1	....	21	10	9	....	43
Bohol	do	78	55	5	3	34	39	35	12	4	1	133
Bulacan	do	24	13	1	....	9	7	12	6	2	....	37
Cagayan	do	50	48	....	....	23	16	24	20	3	12	98
Capiz	do	37	14	1	....	18	10	16	4	2	....	51
Cavite	do	47	27	....	2	30	17	13	4	4	4	74
Cebu	do	484	253	74	41	255	161	139	43	16	8	737
Ilocos Norte	do	70	41	2	2	25	24	41	13	2	5	114
Ilocos Sur	do	140	78	13	2	45	44	46	18	16	14	218
Iloilo	do	98	32	9	1	56	17	25	5	8	9	130
Isabela	do	11	6	....	....	3	....	7	3	1	3	17
La Laguna	do	24	13	1	2	9	5	12	4	2	2	37
Lepanto-Bontoc ^b	do	15	4	1	....	5	1	8	....	1	3	19
Leyte ^b	do	50	41	1	3	26	27	23	7	3	4	91
Masbate	do	15	11	1	....	8	4	3	4	8	3	26
Mindanao ^b	Moro	143	77	3	3	86	44	45	18	9	12	220
Misamis	Filipino ..	39	11	3	....	17	5	15	2	4	4	50
Negros Occidental	do	22	8	2	2	8	6	11	....	1	....	30
Negros Oriental	do	67	53	4	....	27	23	35	21	1	9	110
Nueva Ecija	do	37	15	1	....	17	5	14	6	5	4	52
Nueva Vizcaya	do	2	4	....	....	1	....	1	2	....	2	6
Pampanga	do	7	7	....	....	3	5	3	2	1	....	14
Pangasinan	do	31	25	....	1	10	4	17	14	4	6	55
Rizal	do	47	19	1	2	26	9	20	6	....	2	66
Romblon	do	4	10	....	....	1	3	3	6	....	1	14
Samar	do	143	115	....	1	43	50	74	43	26	21	258
San Lazaro ^c	do	145	97	23	12	83	49	28	20	11	16	242
Sorsogon	do	83	34	....	1	41	18	38	6	4	9	117
Surigao ^b	do	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	1	3
Tarlac	do	14	8	1	1	1	5	11	2	1	....	22
Tagaybas	do	20	7	1	....	5	4	12	1	2	2	27
Union	do	30	12	....	....	10	18	2	2	2	....	42
Zambales ^b	do	60	35	2	....	30	15	24	15	4	5	95
Total .....	.....	2,270	1,302	177	100	1,075	671	849	354	169	177	3,572

^a Previous report in Public Health Reports, May 5, 1905, should be for month of November, 1904.

^b Revised reports not received.

^c 1 European.